

U. S. AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE FINDS EMBASSIES HIGH

\$150,000 Congress Allotted for House Fails to Attract Sellers.

(Special Cable to The Washington Herald and United News.)

PARIS, July 31.—Like all his predecessors in Paris and most of his American fellow sufferers in the diplomatic service, United States Ambassador Myron T. Herrick has no place to return the many social favors that a man in his social position must pay unless he spends at least 1,000,000 francs of his own money for a house.

Munificent Congress has appropriated \$150,000 for a house to be occupied by the American Ambassador, but that amount is less than 1,000,000 francs at the present exchange, and the only suitable houses that have yet been brought to Mr. Herrick's notice are held at from 2,000,000 to 10,000,000 francs.

Living With Son.
At present the Ambassador is living with his son, Farmacia Herrick, in the latter's temporary residence, the former home of Henri Bernheim, the dramatist, near la Boule golf course. But the lease expires in the autumn, and the house is too remote from the center of affairs to be the Ambassador's official home in winter.

The ambassador is bothered by his inability to repay his hospitality. He is continually being invited to week-ends and other social affairs and naturally desires to return these compliments. However, there is no place for him to stay with his guests unless he should prevail upon the naval attaché to furnish hammocks or the military attaché to break out a supply of pup tents. The situation really is most embarrassing, for the ambassador cannot decline invitations without giving offense to important persons.

If he were merely a private citizen, Mr. Herrick might pick up any number of excellent "hotels particuliers," because impoverished members of the French aristocracy are selling out as quickly as they can. They are making real sacrifices in price, too, except when an ambassador wants to buy. He has been unable to conceal his identity in the inquiries he has made and consequently the prices have gone up near the top of Eiffel Tower.

Not Like Predecessor.
However, Mr. Herrick is not so poor that he can never be in the plight of that American Ambassador who received former President Grant in a dingy little flat, four flights above a tailor shop.

West Pointer Weds.

LYNCHBURG, Va., July 31.—Lieut. Joel Yancey, son of R. D. Yancey, of Lynchburg, and Miss Lella Ellis, daughter of Jersey City, were married there Monday. The bridegroom is a graduate of West Point and is under orders to go to the Philippines. His bride will accompany him there.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY

Envoy Visits Bar Harbor

Chilean Ambassador and
Mme. Mathieu to Spend
Fortnight in Maine.

By EVELYN C. HUNT.

The Ambassador of Chile and Mme. Mathieu have gone to Bar Harbor to spend a fortnight.

The Secretary of the Interior, Albert B. Fall, left last evening for an extended stay in the West, when he will visit some of the Indian reservations and inspect several reclamation projects. He will, no doubt, join Mrs. Fall in California before returning. Mrs. Fall, who went West some time ago, paid a visit of several weeks to her home in New Mexico before going to the coast last week.

Mrs. Jack Morgan Fall, daughter-in-law of the Secretary and Mrs. Fall, who has been living in Alamogordo, N. Mex., will leave there in a few weeks for Albuquerque, N. Mex., where she will make her future home. She will be accompanied to Albuquerque by her two daughters, Martha and Jackie, and by her mother, Mrs. H. K. Holman. Mrs. Fall was the guest here recently of the Secretary and Mrs. Fall at Wardman Park Hotel, following a trip with Mrs. Fall to Cuba, where they attended the inauguration exercises in Havana. Mrs. Fall has a charming personality and has been a great favorite in society in Alamogordo. Her husband, the youngest son of the Secretary and Mrs. Fall died in January, 1919.

Jonkheer de Beaufort Will Speak at Plymouth.

The charge d'affaires of the legation of the Netherlands, Jonkheer H. de Beaufort, left Washington Friday evening for the north shore of Massachusetts, where he is spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coolidge of Boston, at their summer home. Jonkheer de Beaufort will go to Plymouth today to deliver an address at the tercentenary celebration of the landing of the Pilgrims, and will be entertained by Howland Davis, of Boston in his summer home near Plymouth. He will return to the legation the middle of this week.

Capt. Civalieri Goes to Fishers Island.

Capt. Piero Civalieri, naval attaché of the Italian Embassy, has gone to Fishers Island where he will remain several weeks, going later to Southampton and Bar Harbor. He will return here at the end of September.

Col. and Mrs. T. Q. Donaldson, Col. and Mrs. Charles Walcott, Gen. and Mrs. Kerr, and Mrs. Charles J. Bovery and Col. and Mrs. Cress and Miss Cress are members

Tennis Fete At Newport

Invitation Tournament
Draws Stars of First
Magnitude.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Newport will turn out en masse tomorrow afternoon to witness the big "invitation tennis tournament" at the Newport Casino. All the boxes have been taken and the holders will have the privilege of keeping the boxes over for the Davis Cup events. Craig Biddle is chairman of the Casino tennis committee, and the entry list includes many prominent names.

The wedding of Miss Ruth Ellsworth Allen, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen, of this city and Westport, Conn., to Gordon Stuart Stevens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Stevens, of New Haven, will take place the afternoon of August 13 at the country home of Dr. and Mrs. Allen in Westport.

The engagement has been announced in England of Francis Shelton Farr to Miss Eleanor Banks, only daughter of the Rev. Sherbrook Banks, of Trinity, St. Martin's Rectory, Suffolk, and granddaughter of Sir Albert Hughes of East Bergholt Lodge, Suffolk. Mr. Farr is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Farr of this city and Scarborough-on-the-Hudson. He is a graduate of Princeton, class of 1913, and served overseas during the war.

Eastern Point, near London, Conn., will be the scene of many social functions, including dinners, dances, golf and tennis matches this week in connection with the "women's invitation golf championship," to be played over the course of the Sheneocott Country Club, beginning tomorrow and continuing for five days.

prominent in college athletic circles.

COMMISSIONER RUDOLPH'S WIFE AT HOT SPRINGS.

Mrs. Cuno H. Rudolph will spend the summer at the Hot Springs, Ark. Commissioner Rudolph, unable to take an extended vacation, will make occasional trips to the Springs.

Julius I. Peyer has gone to Atlantic City, where he is staying at the Ambassador Hotel. Bayard K. Gibson is also at the Ambassador Hotel in Atlantic City.

Robert Batcheller, who for many years has spent his summers at the Profile House, N. H., arrived there last week from Washington, to remain until the end of the season.

Miss Eleanor Le Roy reached there Saturday evening from New York, and this week Mrs. Newbold Edgar, Mrs. B. Aymar Sands, George P. Keating, Paul M. Thomas, Miss Gertrude R. White, R. J. Nethercutt, Miss Albertine Bernham, S. W. Siegel, G. C. Leubbers and Miss Emily Pratt would join the colony already there for August.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. McHarg left Profile House a few days ago for New York, whence Mrs. McHarg will sail for Europe on the first of August.

Mrs. Preston Peters, of Washington, and Mrs. S. B. Dod, of New York, were there this week.

LYON AGAIN HEADS BUSINESS BUREAU

R. B. H. Lyon was unanimously re-elected chairman of the Better Business Bureau at a meeting of the board of trustees held yesterday. F. X. Wholley was re-elected secretary, and A. S. Gardiner treasurer. Mr. Wholley was also chosen as managing director for the ensuing year.

It was decided to enlarge the organization's bulletin service to the members, to re-institute the shopping feature, and to work actively toward establishing confidence in advertising in the District of Columbia.

Missing Agent Found.

DANVILLE, Va., July 31.—H. C. Atkins, the insurance agent who disappeared here last Tuesday has been located in Martinsville by his cousin, Arthur Atkins. It is claimed he was found in a state of disordered mind at a Martinsville hotel. He will be brought back to Danville within a few days.

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Senator Robert L. Owen has joined his family at the Ambassador Hotel in Atlantic City.

BRONSON-LOGAN WEDDING TAKES PLACE WEDNESDAY.

Miss Ruth Bronson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Bret Bronson, and Capt. John A. Logan, Medical Corps, U. S. A., will be married Wednesday evening. The ceremony will be performed at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Wilcox, in Chevy Chase, the Rev. James T. Marshall, pastor of the Georgetown Presbyterian Church, officiating, and will be followed by a reception from 9 to 11. Miss Bronson will be attended by Mrs. C. E. Kelly, as matron of honor; Miss Frances Bronson, her sister, as maid of honor, and four bridesmaids, Miss Lella Lytle, Miss Sissy Lytle, Miss Helen Burnham and Miss Josephine Lupton. Wallace Logan will be his brother's best man.

George W. Spier has gone to New York, where he is stopping at the Pennsylvania Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Wingrove Bathon, Miss Florence A. Whitehead, George H. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. West, George S. Daniel and J. E. Hoover are other Washingtonians at the same hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Napoleon Goldert returned from an extended trip through California and British Columbia and are now at 3519 Keokuk street, Chevy Chase.

MISS HAZEL E. JONES WON COLLEGE HONORS.

Miss Hazel E. Jones, daughter of Senator Wesley L. Jones, is now back in the city. While in Washington formerly she attended the Friends' School, where in three years she completed the four years' course. From this school she went to the State University at Seattle and recently graduated. Shortly after entering the university, with out neglecting her studies, she was so active in campus work that she was made one of the leaders of her class and was one of the four members of the senior class of the Phi Beta Kappa, an organization constituted of students selected on account of their work personally as well as their campus activities. She also was made a member of the Phi Beta Kappa, an organization constituted of students selected on account of their work personally as well as their campus activities. She also was made a member of the Phi Beta Kappa, an organization constituted of students selected on account of their work personally as well as their campus activities.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Schroeder have returned after spending three weeks motoring through northern New York and to Atlantic City.

Mrs. Arnold has arrived in Washington and joined her husband, Col. F. T. Arnold, and they have taken possession of their new home in Macomb street in Cleveland Park.

Gen. Eli D. Helmick has taken an apartment in the Marlborough for the summer.

Miss Ruth Eleanor Jones will return tomorrow after visiting in Allentown and in Haverford, Pa.

Roger Tredwell will return this week after spending a month at Marblehead, Mass. He made the trip by motor.

Capt. Earl Jenkins, U. S. M. C., will return today after visiting his family at their home in Norfolk for about a month.

Mrs. John Calvin Halsey, who was a guest of Mrs. Newcomb Barnev, returned to her home in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gill will motor to Cape May, N. J., for an extended stay there.

Edward Lyon, of Massachusetts, is visiting at the home of his father-in-law, Herbert Gill, near Bethesda, Md. Mrs. Lyon and Mr. Gill are touring Canada for several weeks.

Mrs. Ephraim Graham and her sister, Mrs. Herr, will reach Washington this week, coming from Germany to join their mother, Mrs. Eli Hovle, here.

Miss Malbeile Helkes Justice, who was a guest of Mrs. F. B. Moran, left yesterday for New York.

DWIGHT DAVIS LEAVES HOUSE ON 14th STREET.

Dwight Davis, Director of the War Finance Corporation, has leased the Reynolds Hitt house at 1521 Eighteenth street and will take possession in the fall. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pulitzer, of New York, occupied it last season and the year before Bernard Baruch was the tenant.

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ENGLAND SAYS U. S. HOLDS BALANCE IN SILESIAN PROBLEM

London Press Points Out
Danger of Renewed
War in Europe.

By A. E. JOHNSON.

LONDON, July 31.—Theoretically political pace in the Silesian situation is imminent. Actually there are arising over the European horizon any number of storm clouds that threaten to develop into further international storms. The fundamental question, back of all the dickering between France and England, is whether or not the entente is to exist.

England has apparently won the first round of the battle, in that she has prevented individual action by the French government in the matter of sending reinforcements to Silesia, but it is certain that Premier Briand will not readily surrender any more of his policies at the supreme council meeting.

Says U. S. Holds Balance.

The greatest interest is manifested in the attendance of Col. George Harvey at the coming meeting. Both Downing Street and the Quai D'Orsay admit that America controls the balance, and they look to America's disinterestedness to provide some compromise solution of the whole matter. "The dispute is far uglier than the people of either country realize," says the Outlook. "All these notes and misunderstandings and flurries in the press recently are of little importance, were they not symptoms of the fundamental differences involving the vital interests and honor of each country, however, the conflict may be concealed. The participants are jockeying for position, and were it not for Ambassador Harvey's presence at Boulogne we would dread the meeting that is to take place.

Danger of Renewed War.

"The Silesian problem means the danger of renewed war. Harvey's instructions are to be merely an advisor of the American government unless war is threatened, whereupon America promises to interfere."

J. L. Garvin, writing in the Observer, says: "Formerly it was the entente cordiale. Now it is the entente discordiale. Dissolution of the partnership, grave as it might be, would be better than a continuation of the past twelve months' intolerable condition. Great Britain never before found a partner so difficult, nor a foreign office so sorely deceived."

Garvin points out that France at present wields a military power relatively greater and more unchecked than was Germany's at any time, and that she desires to use it to gain her own ends.

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—Babcock's Butterfly, Cut Rose and Violet Talcum Powder, 18c and 25c 10c

—Irwin's Arbutus Talcum Powder, 25c size... 10c

—De-Odor Deodorizing Soap, 20c size. Special, a cake... 10c

—Palmolive Soap, 12 cakes... 80c

—Floating Bath Soap—10c cakes, today special, a dozen cakes... 75c

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The other Percale is more along tailored lines and is trimmed with rick-rack braid in color to match the floral effect of the pattern. Dutch pocket model as shown in illustration.

The Gingham has a predominating note of gray with yellow, pink or blue plaids running through. The frills to match the ground color are piped with black, forming an outline effect. This is also a very practical and good-looking style, which you'll like immensely. They wash so well and wear so well that the purchase of one or two is an investment assuring good returns.

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